

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-68 in the parent have been cancelled

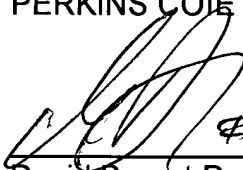
Claim 74 is written in "step for" language, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 112 ¶6, and is fully supported by the specification at paragraphs 26-31.

The above new claims add no new matter and are fully supported by the specification. To further show support, the Declaration of Robert J. Cava, Ph.D., a non-inventor expert Declarant, and submitted in the parent application 08/ 961,791 is hereby incorporated into these remarks.

It is believed that the above claims are in condition for allowance. Should the Examiner believe that the Application may be expedited by a phone or in-person interview with the Applicant's counsel, he or she is invited to contact the undersigned at the below listed number(s).

Respectfully submitted,  
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